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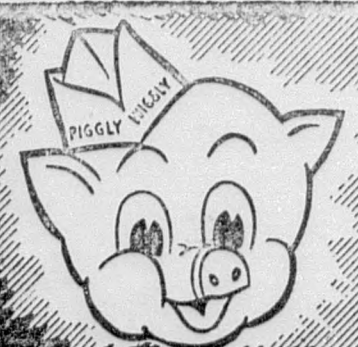
FOR THE RIGHT PRICES and FINEST QUALITY!

Prices Good Friday & Sat.

December 12th & 13th

DOMCO WINTERIZED		YUR-FAVORITE VIENNA		WHITE GOLD	
COOKING OIL		SAUSAGE		SUGAR	
Full Gallon		Can		5 lbs.	
\$1.79		10c		39c	
PRODUCE					
GREEN HEAD CABBAGE	3 lbs.	10c	STOKELYS TOMATOES	46 oz	19c
FLORIDA JUICY GRAPEFRUIT	3 for	13c	JUICE		23c
TOKAY RED GRAPES	2 lbs.	23c	TOMATO ASPIC	No. 1 Can	21c
U. S. Fancy No. 1 Cobbler POTATOES	10 lb	49c	YELLOW CAKE MIX	20 oz Pkg.	39c
JUICY FLORIDA TANGERINES	Dozen	19c	CAKE FLOUR	44 oz Package	39c
FANCY AVOCADOS	each	10c	COCOA	8 oz Can	26c
Natural Slices 8 oz Pkg. PINEAPPLE	49c	SALT FISH	lb.	19c	
Diced 8 oz Pkg. CITRUS	33c	DRY PACK STANDARD OYSTERS	PINT	69c	
Diced 8 oz Pkg. MIXED FRUIT	37c	FRESH GROUND BEEF	lb	49c	
WALNUTS	lb	43c	MULLET	lb	15c
MIXED NUTS	lb	57c	ORIOLE SLICED BACON	lb	39c
Blue Diamond 6 oz Can Shelled Almonds	43c	ROAST SAUSAGE	lb	33c	
Brazil Nuts	lb	53c	Fr. Pork Shoulder	lb	39c
White 15 oz RAISINS	21c	ROAST			
Sundried 11 oz CURRENTS	17c	Mayonnaise	pt.	29c	
Del Monte 14 oz CATSUP	21c				

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES



PIGGLY WIGGLY

THE MOST FAMOUS NAME IN FOODS

Elba, Alabama

CLASSIFIED AD SECTION

STRAY HOGS
I have five stray hogs at my place. Owner may have them by paying claim and for ad. E. L. Moore, New Brockton, Rt. 1, 4th Dec. 4-25

FOR RENT
Three-room furnished apartment. Has oil heat, hot water, electric stove and private bath. P. O. Box 55 Phone 472 11p

FOR SALE OR RENT
Good used refrigerators for sale or rent. Easy Pay Tire Store. 11

DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WITH BETTER BRUSHES
Christmas special: Wool mop and v. duster, Dupont nylon personal brushes, shaving brush in metal case for traveling and service boys. Magnetic twin hair brush makes in 2 brushes. Call Betty Pick, 338, mornings. 2p Dec. 4-11

LOST
Three-year-old cow Wednesday morning. Weight 450 pounds. Between Elba and Wemblers, Rt. 1. Reasonable reward. 2p Dec. 11-18

HAY & CORN WANTED
I will pay highest prices for hay and corn. I am equipped to grind and mix pure cane molasses with all kinds of feed. Elba Milling Co., W. W. Meek 21p Dec. 11-18

FOR SALE
1952 Ford Tractor and equipment. Only farmed 40 acres this year. See J. F. Owen, 11 miles north of Luverne, near Bodin's pool. 2p Dec. 11-18

JOAN PALOOKA DOLIS
Western Auto Assoc. Store
Foy W. English Elba, Ala.

DIXIE LAND DRIVE--In
11 Miles out the Opp-Elba Highway
Admission: 40c

Weds.-Thurs. Dec 10-11
Treasure Island
Bobby Driscoll
Robert Newton
Basil Sydney

Fri.-Sat., Dec. 12-13
SMOKY
Will James

DOUBLE FEATURE
Pace That Thrills
Bill Williams
Carla Balenda

Sun.-Mon., Dec. 14-15
Fixed Bayonets
Richard Basehart
Michael O'Shea
Gene Evans

Tuesday, December 16
It's a Big Country
Janet Leigh
Van Johnson

Wed.-Thurs., Dec 17-18
Singin' in the Rain
Gene Kelly
Donald O'Connor
Debbie Reynolds

CECIL Drive-In
Highway 84--Murray--Enterprise and New Brockton
PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Thurs.-Fri., Dec 11-12
Lorna Doone
Barbara Hale
Richard Greene

Saturday, December 13
Pistol Packin' Mama
ALL STAR CAST
ALSO
The Missourians
Monte Hale
Paul Hurst

Sun.-Mon., Dec. 14-15
BLUE BLOOD
Bill Williams
Jane Nigh

Tues.-Weds., Dec. 16-17
NO SAD
SONGS FOR ME
Wendell Corey
Margaret Sullivan

Thurs.-Fri., Dec. 18-19
MMET ME
After the Show
Betty Grable
MacDonald Carey

TIGERS LOSE TO ENTERPRISE
Elba's Tigers lost to the Enterprise Wildcats Tuesday night on the Tiger court by a 47-42 count. The Tigers scored 14 points to 12 for Enterprise in the first quarter but trailed 26-25 at the half. The Wildcats made a field day in the third period as they outscored Elba, 20-6. They coasted through the final period as Elba made 11 points to their 5.

Inability to make free throws was a contributing factor to the Tiger loss. Inexperience also hurt the local team.

Scoring for Elba were B. Hudson 12, T. Hudson 11, Powell 5 and Reeves 1.

The Bees defeated Enterprise's second string 33-27. For Elba Smith scored 6 points, Hudson 12, Cain 5, Crocker 8, Davidson 3, McDavid 2 and Davis 4.

BASKETBALL--DOTHAN
Elba opened the 1952-53 basketball season Friday night here by taking a 63-49 whipping at the hands of Dothan. The Bees won their game 29-25.

During the first two periods Elba held a slight edge over the Dothan quintet, leading 29-27 at the half. But Dothan came roaring back in the second period of the game. In the third period they scored 20 points to the local 10 and in the final stanza added 13 points more while holding Elba to 11.

Scoring for Elba were B. Hudson 16, T. Hudson 13, Donaldson 1, Reeves 3, Powell 6 and Price 8.

The Elba Bees led all the way but the margin was always a slim one.

NED D. JONES
Aboard the USS LST 975 in the far East is Ned D. Jones, commissaryman third class, USN, son of Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Jones of Route 2, Elba.

The LST was engaged in taking Chinese and North Korean prisoners-of-war from Pusan to the island camp of Koro Do. In eight days the ship carried over 15,000 prisoners.

JOB WANTED
Experienced around farm or house. Take town job. \$2 per day. Louis Johnson, Glenwood, Route 1, 11p

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to take this method of thanking each and everyone for the kindness shown us during the sickness and death of our father and grandfather. May God's richest blessings be with you all.
The W. R. Rowell Family.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their words of sympathy, floral offerings, during our recent bereavement. We pray God's richest blessings upon each of you.
Mr. & Mrs. Ben Coppage & family.

GOODMAN BARBECUE
There will be a church barbecue Saturday, Dec. 13 at 6 P. M. at Goodman Baptist church. The public is invited.

Miss Laurie Cain who teaches in the Tallapoosa Public school is recuperating at her home in Basin community after a long illness in a Birmingham hospital. She will resume her duties as a teacher after the Christmas holidays.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
A marriage license was issued by the Elba probate office to George M. Cobb, 34, Chancellor Rt. 1 and Miss Doris F. Blackshear, 27, Midland City.

SARA F. CURENTON
Miss Sara F. Curenton, 36, died Wednesday morning, Dec. 10, at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Martin, in Elba, following a brief illness. She had been an invalid for several years. Surviving are three sons: Mrs. Mamie Scott, Glenora and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Elba; and a daughter, Mrs. L. P. and L. C. Curenton, both of Enterprise and Roy Curenton, Akron, Ohio.

FIRST HAND FREEZE
The first hard freezes of the season arrived Monday and Tuesday mornings. Thermometers in this vicinity added to a chilly 30 Monday with a high of 44. Tuesday a low of 24 was the coldest recorded here since last Jan. 30. Many pipes and hydrants were reported frozen but no pipes burst. Warmer weather is predicted.

OUR TAX DOLLARS
BIG GOVT

About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

BAPTIST CANTATA SUNDAY

The Baptist Youth Choir under direction of Mrs. George Lader Cantata Sunday night at 7 o'clock. The Methodist church has called off its evening service in order to attend. The Baptist church did the same thing last week for the Methodist cantata.

LOCAL COMMUNITIES

TAKING ALL THE HAY
The hay harvest is well under way in this section. The hay is being taken in all the hay fields. The hay is being taken in all the hay fields.

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Council Adopts New License Schedule

A revised license schedule for merchants doing business in Elba went into effect Monday night when the city council approved a ten-page ordinance governing the imposition and collection of these fees.

Generally the new statute levies a tax of \$25 on a firm for the first \$10,000 worth of gross business it does and then collects one-eighth of one percent of the gross up to \$200,000. One-tenth of one percent is taken after \$200,000.

For example, a grocery, drug, hardware or restaurant doing a yearly gross of \$200,000 would pay \$25 plus one-eighth of one percent on the remaining \$180,000 or \$32.50. This makes the total license tax \$57.50.

Automobile agencies and garages selling parts fall under a slightly different set-up. They will pay an automobile work and repair shop license of \$50 in addition to the retailers' license of \$25 for the first \$10,000 worth of business and one-eighth of one percent of gross over \$10,000.

Filing status selling tires and auto accessories also come under a dual license. They must pay a \$35 fee plus the regular retailer's license.

BASED ON SALES TAX
Licenses paid shall be based upon gross sales as reflected by Alabama Sales Tax returns made to the State Department of Revenue for the preceding city license year. In other words, by adding up the gross amount of business reported for sales tax.

Since gasoline and labor for repair work are not reported for sales tax, filling stations and garages will not have to include this as part of their gross for city tax purposes.

Generally, license fees for doctors, lawyers, shop and other service establishments such as dry cleaners were not changed.

To protect merchants doing business and paying taxes in Elba, a license fee of \$1,000 was levied against persons selling on auction from the auction of any vehicle. A fee of \$2,500 was levied on persons selling merchandise at auction at a live-

Jaycee Dance Tops Night of Play for Elba

The big cities won't offer much more in the way of entertainment and fun than can be found in Elba Friday night.

A banquet, dinner, basketball game and dance will draw the people away from home Friday.

The annual Dorsey Taylor Christmas party for the hundreds of men and women employed there is the biggest event of the evening. Their program has not been announced but it is always a gala affair.

Firemen, city officials and all employees and their wives will dine at the school lunch at 7:30 o'clock. Entertainment, speeches, a big dinner and a dance will follow.

In the sports field, Elba meets the Troy State team at 8 o'clock. The game will start at 9:30 o'clock. The "A" game gets underway at 8 o'clock.

Captain of the evening's entertainment will be a dance sponsored by the Jaycees for the benefit of the street market project. Edgar Atkinson and his orchestra from Dothan are slated to play starting at 9:30 o'clock. Lasting until 12:30, Charles Nelson, chairman of the committee arranging the dance, and Elba will provide good danceable music. The public is invited to attend.

KINSTON TURNS OUT ANOTHER FINE QUINTET

Faced with a complete rebuilding job on this year's edition of the Kinston Building game, Coach Bryant Steele appears to have hurried a difficult job and has his men pointed toward another second district Class "AA" title. His charges won seven of their first eight games.

At the start of the season, only one starter from last year's five was reporting on. Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Stephens Sr., long residents of New Brockton, was born in New Brockton and graduated from high school there. He is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Lewis Stephens Sr., long residents of New Brockton.

The new Kinston was graduated from high school in 1942 and spent three years in the army. He was a member of the Kinston team in the National Endowment campaign and the Phi Kappa Phi honor society. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Phi honor society. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Phi honor society.

New Solicitor Will Make His Home in Elba

Lewey Stephens Jr., New Brockton attorney, has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Solicitor Eric Paul who was elected to the circuit judge post in recent elections. The term expires on Jan. 1, 1953.

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22 Baskets for Needy Will Be Distributed

Christmas baskets, the dance Friday night and a turkey shoot Saturday afternoon were discussed by the Jaycees at their regular meeting in the Masonic Hall Tuesday night.

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Christmas Doll Is Unthoughted in Blaze

Christmas sometimes takes a queer turn as it did in the fire Monday that destroyed the house occupied by J. H. Williams in Blackmon.

Fire Chief Flourey Whitman was talking to Williams about the blaze and said, "You lost everything you had didn't you?"

The man replied, "Yes, but what I hate the most is losing a doll I had bought my grand daughter for Christmas."

Dozier Roberts, who had overheard the conversation, asked where the doll had been. Williams pointed to a charred child robe standing in a corner of the ruins. Dozier went over to it and from behind pushed the bottom drawer open. Everything in the drawer seemed charred beyond recovery until close investigation revealed that the heavy Christmas wrappings around the doll had protected it and no damage had been done to the Christmas present. The doll and a blanket were about the only items salvaged from the fire.

Large Crowd Hears Cantata At Methodist Church Sunday

An audience which filled the Elba Methodist church quilter Sunday night enjoyed a Christmas Cantata Sunday night. It was given by the church choir under the direction of Mrs. Edwin Clopton.

The program opened a few minutes before 7 o'clock with a concert by Mrs. W. M. Ringgold, piano, and Mrs. M. Ringgold, piano. The program was put on by the school children after the business session. Next meeting is on the first Thursday night in January.

The cantata was entitled "Chimes of the Holy Night."

Prompt Reporting of Fire Is Necessary

Turning in a fire alarm right after the blaze is discovered is important, Fire Chief Flourey Whitman said Monday.

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Cotton's calf, a yearling, weighed 615 pounds after 84 days of feeding. The calf was fed a diet of alfalfa and corn.

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SPEED QUEEN
LINDSEY-THOMASON
Furniture Company

Greeting Cards for All Occasions
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- Defroster
- Radio
- Vanity Mirror
- Window Shields
- Seat Covers

Convenience ACCESSORIES

- Electric Clock
- Tissue Dispenser
- Traffic Light Viewer

Safety Accessories

- Clock Action Shock Absorber
- Outside R View Mirror
- Safety Light
- Clare-Proof Mirror
- Direction Signal
- Trunk Guard

Appearance ACCESSORIES

- Fender Shields
- Gas Tank Filler Guard
- Wheel Disk
- Tail Pipe Extension

Southern Funeral Homes

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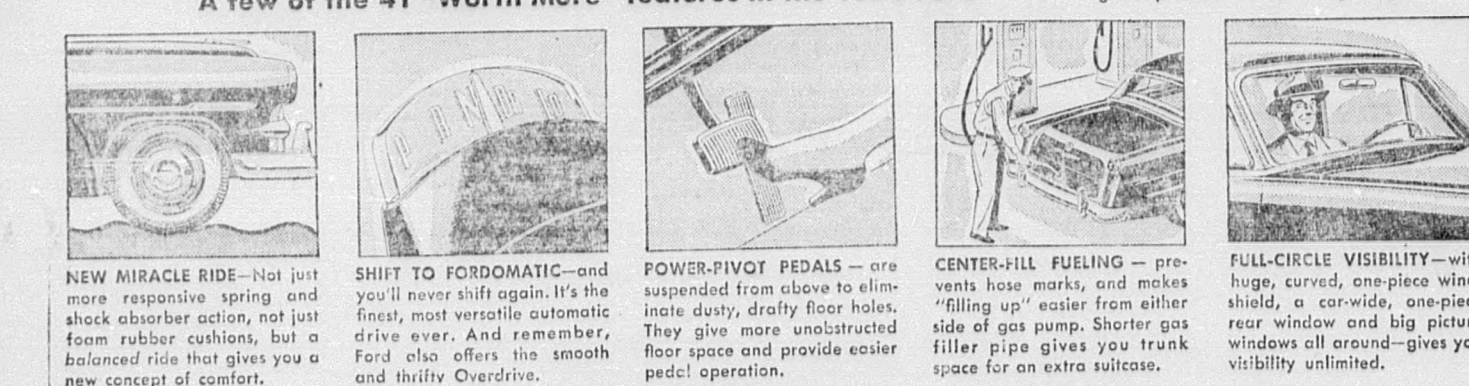
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Here now... the '53 FORD

Cannon Motor Co.

Fish Pond & Vicinity

The cold spell has stopped the fish from biting so well.

Mr. & Mrs. Chester Willis of Elba were guests of his aunt, Mrs. Hatie Cook last Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Morris Davis and children of Jacksonville visited his mother, Mrs. M. D. Whitaker Saturday and Sunday of last week.

Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Mosely and Mr. & Mrs. Marion Harper of New Brockton called during the day Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. R. D. Nokes of near Dothan visited here last week.

Mrs. Quassie Bullard, Willie Henderson and Mildred Fuller were among those fishing here last week.

Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Cobb of near Bellview visited here last week.

Mr. & Mrs. J. B. Layton had a television set installed in their home last Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Willon Graham and family were guests of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. John Graham last Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Huel Hudson and sons were guests of her parents, Mr. & Mrs. D. H. Adams of Opp Saturday.

Grady Williams and Otis Williams of Elba were business callers here last Monday.

Mr. & Mrs. Aubrey Hudson announced the birth of a son, Willie Gerald at Mizell Memorial hospital in Opp.

Mr. & Mrs. Maah Cauley and sons were guests of his father, Bolan Cauley and Mr. & Mrs. Ed Mayberry last Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Julian Morman of Sasser Cross Roads died suddenly last Sunday morning.

Relatives and friends of the late Mrs. M. D. Whitaker gathered at the home of Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Jones and Chick Tom last Sunday for a reunion. This is said to be one of the biggest family get-togethers held in years.

Jackie Tom has 12 living children. All were home except David Hudson of Haines City, Fla. in the 64 guests present there were only five who were not relatives.

Each family brought dinner. The only table decorations were

People, Spots In The News

ROCKET instructions for ROK's. Attentive South Korea replacement troops get instructions in use of 3.5 rocket launcher. (Background)

DOUBLE feature: Marilyn Monroe and Jane Russell team up in dance routine in coming, "Gentlemen Prefer Blondes" movie.

TOUGH TUB of fiber glass is wallpopped with hammer by inventor, Carl S. Strand of Birmingham, Mich., to show it won't chip. It weighs 20 pounds, and was introduced at National Trailer Coach exposition in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Within the next few days, stop by our store for a real demonstration of wood cutting. Or give us a call and we'll arrange a show for you at your place. There's no obligation. We want you to see what a McCulloch can do.

6 Models Available
BEASLEY - WILSON MULE CO.

Hold That Tiger! Big-hearted Bella gladly took on extra motherhood duties for this abandoned tiger cub, but has her own gentle way of restraining him when her own German shepherd dog offspring are dining!

Rich About Elba
Utter, the hub of the transportation system of the Mohawk Valley region of New York state, is one of the three largest redistribution centers in the United States for less-than-carload freight.

Barbecue Hint
If you plan to barbecue some chicken, remember that chicken coals, not flames, will give you the best results.

Few Deficiencies
The Illinois College of Agriculture soil testing laboratory has not found any marked deficiency of trace elements in Illinois soils except occasionally in boron and magnesium.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice is hereby given that assessment book for local improvements has been delivered to the undersigned City Clerk, and the same, together with the assessment roll or list so delivered to the undersigned, is open for inspection in the office of the City Clerk at the City Hall at Elba, Alabama, the person authorized to make collection of



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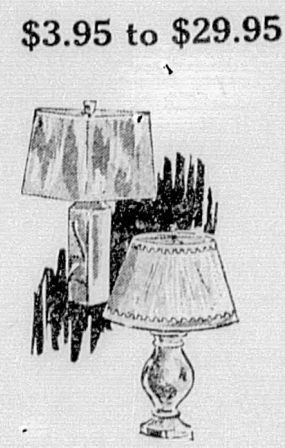
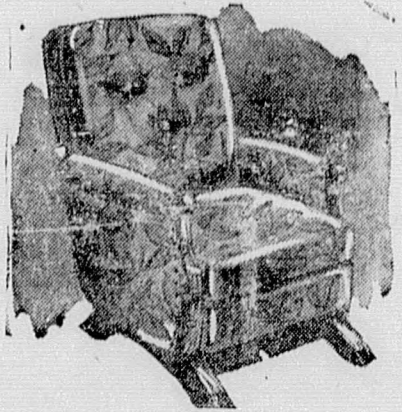


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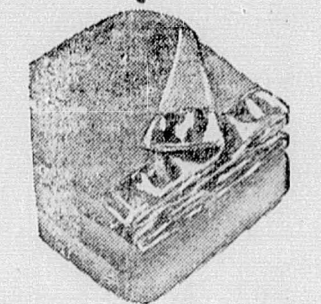
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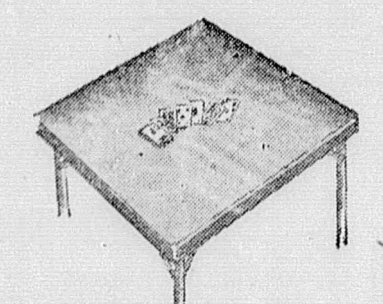
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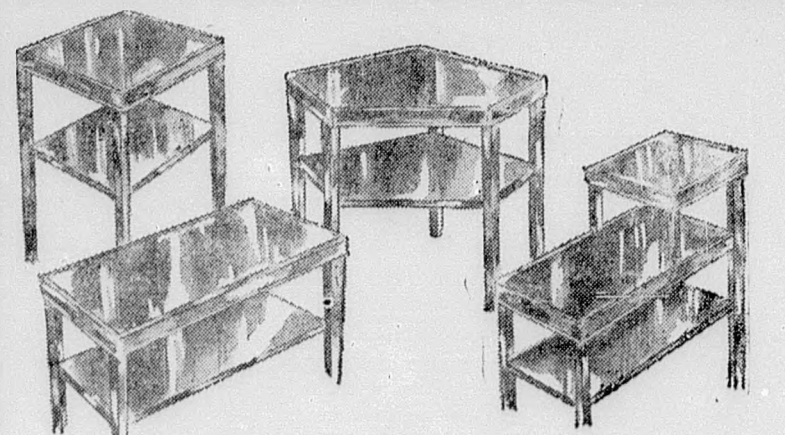
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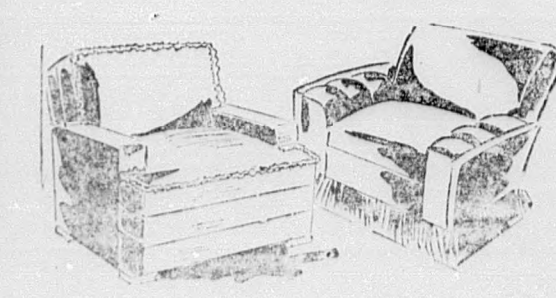
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with matching chairs
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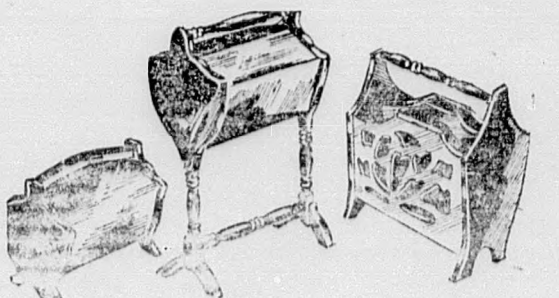
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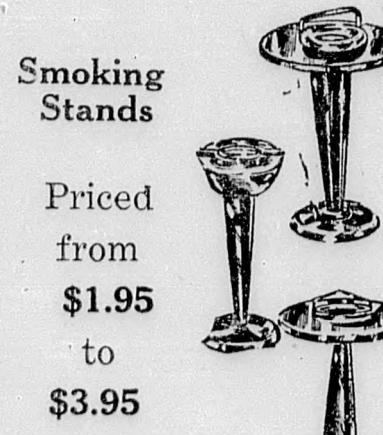
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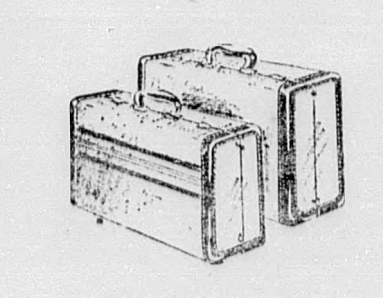
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YOUNG DINNER
For the first time in several
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her dinner guests all of her
children and grandchildren.
At noon a turkey dinner was
served to Mr. & Mrs. Ferrell
Young and sons of Pensacola,
Mr. & Mrs. Drexel Cook and
Carla of Enterprise, Mr. & Mrs.
Charles Gunter and Charles Jr.
of New Brockton, Mr. & Mrs.
John Young and family and Mr.
& Mrs. Fred Young.

Wesley Circle
The Susannah Wesley Circle
met Monday evening at 7:30
o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert
Cooper, Mrs. Lloyd Medders,
president, Mrs. F. H. Sellers
presented an interesting Christmas
program.
An evening meal was served
to Mesdames Lloyd Medders,
Fred Davis, Frank Rainer Jr.,
James Martin, Stokes Haire, F.
H. Sellers and Miss Sammy Blue.

W. S. C. S.
The Woman's Society of Christian
Service met Monday afternoon
at 8:15 o'clock for their
annual Christmas party at the
home of Mrs. Oscar Vaughan
with Mrs. Stokes Haire and Mrs.
Will Vaughan as co-hostesses.
The president, Mrs. F. A. Far-
ris, presided at the business ses-
sion. On the program were Mes-
dames Lloyd Medders, James De-
vane, Fred Davis.
Gifts were distributed. Decor-
ations were in the Christmas
theme. A salad plate was served
to 25 members.

John Harper returned home
Sunday from St. Luke's hospital
in Montgomery. He had been re-
ceiving treatment for several
weeks from an automobile acci-
dent. He is improving and his
friends are glad to have him
home again.

Sam Young and Billy Head
from API Auburn spent the
weekend at home.

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Donald O'Connor
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William Holden
Mona Freeman
DOUBLE FEATURE

Talk About a
Stranger
George Davis
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Sun.-Mon., Dec 21-22
LITTLE GIANT
Bud Abbott
Lou Costello

Tuesday, Dec. 23
Highly Dangerous
Dane Clark

Weds.-Thurs., Dec 24-25
Holiday Affair
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MacDonald Carey

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Joe Yule
Ronnie Riano
ALSO
Colorado Ambush
John Mack Brown

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BOWDOIN PUT ON ALL-STATE TEAM

Jimmy Bowdoin, who starred in the backfield for the Elba Tiger football eleven the past two seasons, was voted as the fourth man in the Advertiser-Journal's 12th annual all-state squad of 33 high school stars picked the first four backs as Joe Maki, Andrus, Charles Nelson, Opp, Pat Keppner, Auburn and Jimmy Bowdoin, Elba.

John Milton Wise made the honorable mention list among backfield selections.

Thomas Prescott and Billy Poole, lineemen, were given prominence in the Dothan Eagle's All-Wiregrass selections published Sunday.

CLOSED DEC. 24-26TH
The office of Local Board No. 16, in Elba will be closed Dec. 24-26 next week. The draft board office will reopen Monday, Dec. 29.

Christmas Party
The Enterprise Future Home-

TB Fought with Money from Sale of Christmas Seals

Coffee County does not have a quota in the Christmas Seal Sale states John Brunson, chairman of the drive.

"This is one drive in which it's up to the citizens to decide what they want to give."

"We do have a goal, however, a goal of \$899."

"The goal has an economic basis. It is a conservative figure of what our county is capable of raising in the Seal Sale."

"It's a friendly game aimed at giving everybody a chance to have a part in the fight against tuberculosis."

"A small contribution now from a lot of people will mean an economic gain for the future. We shall be helping save lives of citizens who will be valuable in the growth and progress of our county in years to come."

"Won't you please remember this when you take part in the Christmas Seal Sale?"

Greeting Cards for All Occasions At The Clipper

RETAIL SALES UP
The percentage change in net retail sales from September, 1951 to September 1952 for Coffee County was an increase of 3.8 per cent the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Alabama reported this week.

LETTERS AT STC
Harold Farris was among the 36 persons receiving football letters for their play on the 1952 Troy State football squad.

OBITUARIES

HELEN PATRICIA JACKSON
Helen Patricia Jackson, 21-years-old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. General Jackson died Tuesday, Dec. 9 at her home following a short illness.

Surviving in addition to her parents are: one sister, Jeanette Jackson; and one brother, Orell Jackson, all of Florida; paternal grandmother, Mrs. B. L. Jackson of Florida; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Merritt of Opp.

Funeral services were held at Hickory Grove Church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Rev. B. F. Pearce officiating. Burial was in adjoining cemetery with Southern Funeral Home directing.

Dr. C. C. Ben Mathis (land)
He is stationed in Paris and is in Washington, D. C. Monday noon on leave visiting his family in Chicopee, Mass.

Make a Candy Santa Claus

A clever Christmas Tree ornament or an extra gift for a young child may be a candy Santa Claus which you can make yourself. Aside from ingredients, all the equipment needed is a roll of clear cellophane, a piece of green or red crepe paper, and a small amount of cotton. The directions are given below for one large Santa, but you can make several small ones if you prefer, following the same instructions.

Candy Santa Claus
1/4 cup butter or margarine
1/2 cup marshmallows (about 2 1/2 dozen)
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
5 cups Rice Krispies

Cook butter and marshmallows over boiling water until syrupy, stirring frequently. Add vanilla; beat thoroughly. Put Rice Krispies into greased large bowl and pour on marshmallow mixture, stirring briskly. When cool enough to handle, shape mixture into "arms," "legs," "head" and "body." Wrap the various parts of the "body" in cellophane and twist ends. The arms to be made with string and then tie head to body, arms to neck, and so on. Use bits of date for face, crepe paper for hat, cotton to decorate hat and for buttons, and large dried prunes for shoes.

Yield: 1 Santa about 10 inches tall.

HOW TO CAN APPLE SAUCE

1. Wash, rinse, drain, good cooking apples. Cut out blossom and stem ends. Cut in chunks. Cook until soft in just enough water to prevent sticking. Put through food mill, colander or strainer. Sweeten to taste; reheat to boiling.

2. Stand hot Ball Mason Jar on cloth. Fill with hot sauce to within one-half inch of jar top. Funnel helps keep jar clean. Stir sauce with fork to get out air bubbles. Wipe jar top and threads with clean wet cloth.

3. Put wet Ball Dome Lid on jar with fingers or tongs. Screw metal band tightly enough to press sealing compound against jar top. Be sure hand screws down evenly. Do not force band as tight as it will turn.

4. Stand jars of hot sauce on rack in corner of hot, not boiling, water, which covers jars. Put lid on canner. Bring rapidly to boil. Process pints and quarts 15 minutes. Remove jars; let stand apart to cool.

5. Follow manufacturer's directions for examining jars and caps when preparing to can. Ten or twelve hours after sealing, remove band and test seal by pressing Dome to see if it is down or stays down when pressed. Leave bands off.

Elba High School News

BY CELIA ENGLISH
High School Editor

The girls first basketball contest was played Tuesday, Dec. 9 with the seventh grade beating the eighth, 21-19. In a close game that went into an extra period the seventh graders came from behind by making six points in the final quarter. They made two in the overtime to take the game.

The eighth grade played without the services of the basketball captain, Judy Larkins, who had a good job. The seventh grade captain, Judy Larkins, made her plays and substitutions as if she had been playing all her life.

Seventh graders on the winning team are Judy Larkins, (capt.), Frances Morrow (co-captain), Annie M. Floyd, Jane Brown, Janice Hornsby, Myrna Miles, Patti Fuller, Margie Phillips, Sue Morrow, Fernie Seymour, Elizabeth Crocker.

Members of the losing eighth grade team were: Lisa Rowell (capt.), Linda Smith (co-capt.), Brunese Crocker, Doris Brown, Genine Hudson, Betty L. Hunt, Mary Love Ennis, Cleone Willis, Sara L. Addins, Ethel Green, Willa Dean Hutchison, Betty J. Cain and Nina Dewberry.

Scoring for the eighth grade were Linda Smith 12, Brunese Crocker 1, Doris Brown 6. For the seventh grade Frances Morrow netted 16 points, Judy Larkins 2, Annie M. Floyd 1, Myrna L. Mills 2.

High School News—
CELIA ENGLISH PARTY
Friday night, Dec. 12, Celia English had a spend-the-night party at her home. Her father, Harold English, turned over a small house next to the family home to Celia, Jack Parker, Ann Kimmer, Owen Ziglar, Emile Michel, Mary Ann Clark and Celia cleaned up the house on Wednesday night. They named it the Acme Club. The name has all the first letters of the first names of the ones cleaning up Wednesday night.

Friday night eight girls spent the night at the house for a house-warming. They went to the ball game and show Friday and then to the house. For means they brought food and cooked supper and breakfast there.

Girls staying were: Patsy Diannakes, Emma Jeanne Fuller, Mary Ann Clark, Emile Michel, Janice Pick, Judy Pinkard, Celia English and Elaine Crocker.

High School News—
NOTICE
If anyone has any old furniture they don't want, please notify Celia English, Emile Michel or Mary Ann Clark. They will be glad to take it off your hands.

High School News—
BAND CONCERT
Thursday night, Dec. 11, under the direction of James Paterinos, the Elba High School band gave their last concert of the year.

A number of solos were given. Janice Lowery on the clarinet and Jimmy Young on the cornet were two solos. Janice has been taking band only one year.

Duet given by promising sixth graders were Sammy Casey and Jimmy Wise and Russell Head and Tommy Vaughan.

After the concert, the band mothers club gave a Christmas party for the musicians and any guests they wanted to invite.

Punch, chicken salad sandwiches, pimento cheese sandwiches, cookies, potato chips and cake were served.

When presents were given out, Mr. Paterinos was given a watch by Owen Ziglar as a present from the band.

Clinton Carter and Lynnoma Bryan are graduating and won't be with the band next year.

High School News—
E CLUB INITIATION
Nine athletes were initiated into the E Club Friday.

Initiated were Frazer Ringstition were dressed in long handle underwear, a diaper, boot and a high heel shoe. They had to carry a cat with them every where and if they lost the cat were punished. The letter "E" was hung around their neck and sewed on the seat of the diaper. They sold soft drinks and candy at the concession stand at the basketball game Friday night, still dressed in the long handles. The initiation was completed after the ball game.

Initiated were Frazer Ringstition, Kenneth King, Roy Foreman, Billy Poole, Jack Parker, Roland Donald Jones, Martin Dyess, Bobby Folsom and Wayne Haman.

Oven Meals Easier
Oven meals make for easier cooking, as food in the oven takes less watching than that cooked on top of the stove.

A Prayer by St. Francis of Assisi

Lord make me an instrument of Thy Peace!
Where there is hatred . . . let me sow love
Where there is injury . . . pardon
Where there is doubt . . . faith
Where there is despair . . . hope
Where there is sadness . . . joy!

Divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek
To be consoled . . . as to console
To be understood . . . as to understand
To be loved . . . as to love,

Fur
It is in giving . . . that we receive
It is in pardoning . . . that we are pardoned
It is in dying . . . that we are born to eternal life.

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For the Best Get Colonial **SUGAR** 5 lb Bag **38c**

Martha White's Devil's Food or White **CAKE MIX** Box **34c**
Super Store **COFFEE** Pound Bag **75c**

Argo **GREEN LIMA BEANS** One Pound Can **19c**

Alabama Girl Sweet Mixed **PICKLES** 22 oz Jar **29c**
JUNGLE QUEEN MAYONNAISE Pint **33c**

Oak Hill **PEACH HALVES** No. 2 1/2 Can **25c**

JITNEY-JUNGLE "Self-Service Food Stores"

Make a Candy Santa Claus

A clever Christmas Tree ornament or an extra gift for a young child may be a candy Santa Claus which you can make yourself. Aside from ingredients, all the equipment needed is a roll of clear cellophane, a piece of green or red crepe paper, and a small amount of cotton. The directions are given below for one large Santa, but you can make several small ones if you prefer, following the same instructions.

Candy Santa Claus
1/4 cup butter or margarine
1/2 cup marshmallows (about 2 1/2 dozen)
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
5 cups Rice Krispies

Cook butter and marshmallows over boiling water until syrupy, stirring frequently. Add vanilla; beat thoroughly. Put Rice Krispies into greased large bowl and pour on marshmallow mixture, stirring briskly. When cool enough to handle, shape mixture into "arms," "legs," "head" and "body." Wrap the various parts of the "body" in cellophane and twist ends. The arms to be made with string and then tie head to body, arms to neck, and so on. Use bits of date for face, crepe paper for hat, cotton to decorate hat and for buttons, and large dried prunes for shoes.

Yield: 1 Santa about 10 inches tall.

CROSSWORD PUZZLE

ACROSS
1. Mother-in-law of Ruth (Bib.)
6. Side of a doorway
10. Once more
11. Wing-shaped
12. Turn of mind
13. Dwellling
14. Free
15. Arched
17. King of Bashan
18. Game fish
19. Hurt
21. Life
22. Public vehicle
23. Anesthetic
27. Kingdom, NE Africa
29. Body of water
30. From
32. A Roman emperor
33. Greek island
35. Gold (Heraldry)
38. Guest
39. Sorrow
40. Egresses
41. Leaves out
42. Location
43. Make
45. Drinking cup
46. One who shoes horses

DOWN
1. Salt a vessel
2. Matured
3. Rowing implement
4. Bishop's headpiece
5. A theme
6. A shirt
7. Below (naut.)
8. Manufactured
9. Raised
10. State away
11. Mouse
12. Flightless, extinct bird
13. Fish
14. Definite article
15. Perches
16. Wild sheep (India)
17. Secondary
18. Expirator
19. Shops
20. Under-ground
21. Root of plants
22. African antelope
23. Back
24. Quota
25. Fowl
26. Waistcoat
27. Tris (S. Afr.)
28. Perches

LAST WEEK'S ANSWER

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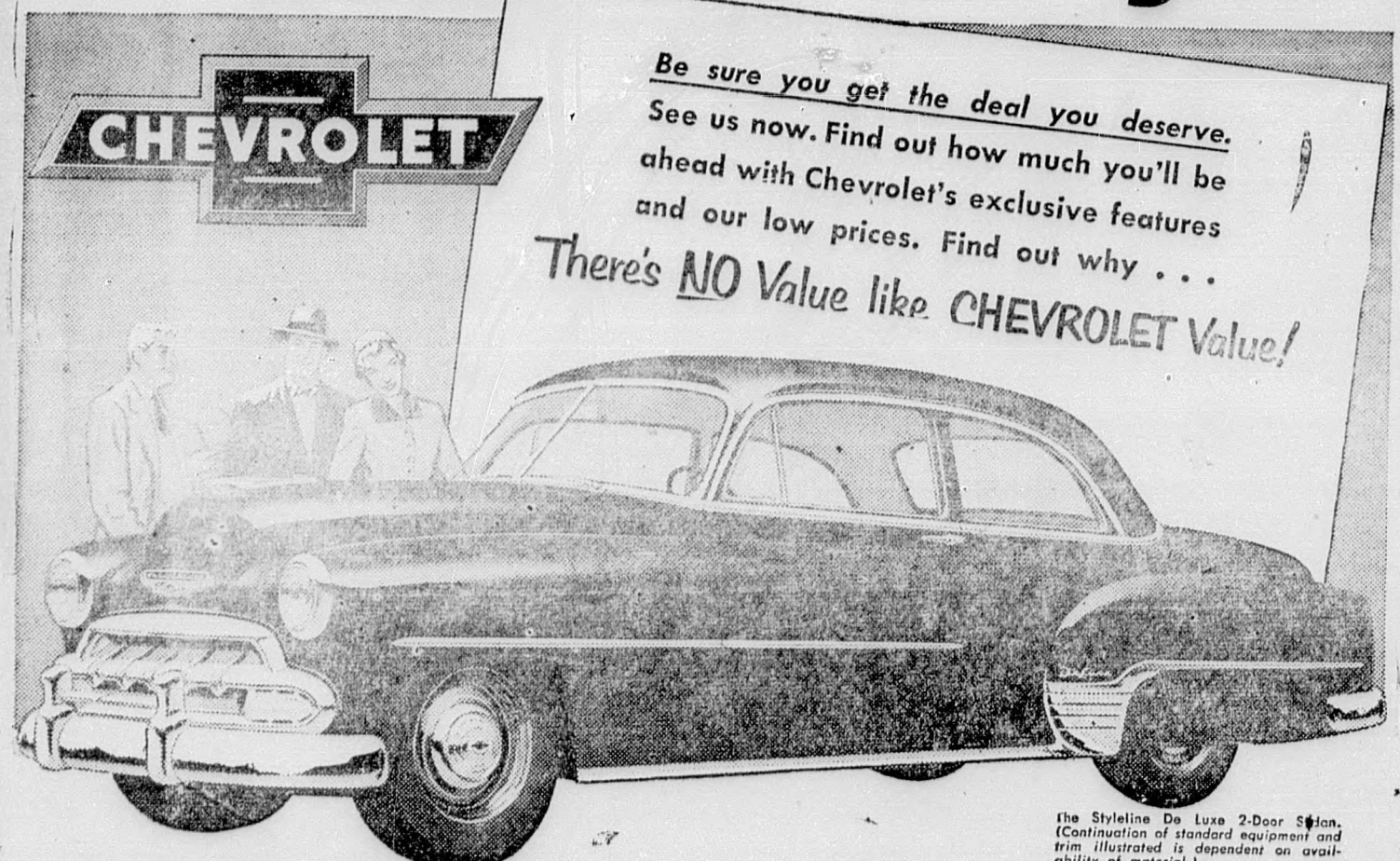
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New Head of NAM



Charles H. Sligh, Jr., who began his career as a laborer and became a successful furniture manufacturer in Michigan after leaving the depression, is the 1952 president of the National Association of Manufacturers.

A grandfather at 46, Mr. Sligh files his own plane, in a past national water-logging champion and active in church and civic affairs.

When buying rhubarb, remember that a pound of fresh rhubarb will provide four half-cup servings when cooked.

Fruit Cup
For a delicious fruit cup, slice strawberries, combine with grapefruit and orange sections, and garnish with mint.

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Everyone has a stake in this great natural resource—protect it from fire.

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Santa Claus' RIGHT ARM

THIS MAY BE the post office's busiest Christmas. The postmaster general estimates that more Christmas mail—packages and cards—will be handled in 1952 than in any previous year. With this in mind, the post office department has hired extra employees and arranged for use of extra trucks for the holiday period.

The post office is Santa Claus' good right arm. It delivers gifts and greetings throughout the world, and it will do its best to get them there by December 25—if they are mailed on time.

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Siamese Twins to Be Separated in Chicago.

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In announcing the plans to separate the twins, physicians pointed out that only two such operations have ever before been attempted and both have resulted in death. Tests, however, have made doctors decide that the operation is feasible.

Some plastic surgery procedure that already have been accomplished include the preparing of the scalp for skin flaps to insure that there will be an adequate and natural covering for the scalp of each twin following the separation.

Neurological procedures that have been undertaken have shown that there are two separate brains, each with its own brain, at least in part.

Mental development in the twins has been normal for their age, and doctors report, they are attempting to crawl around their crib by alternately pushing on another.

Tests given during the last 17 months by specialists in the field of pediatrics, neurology and plastic surgery have shown that the twins have separate thinking and nervous systems, as shown by the fact that they have independent movements, periods of sleep and general disposition. Tests also have shown that there are two brains.

Town Has a Heart When Polio Strikes
STORM LAKE, Iowa — The radio program, Operation Heart, recently proved that this community has a heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Kiernan recently lost their only son, Stanley, to polio.

The following Sunday, while the Kiernans and their two small daughters were attending church, fire broke out in their home and badly damaged it.

News spread fast in a small town anyway, but this time the story of the double tragedy at the Kiernan residence was given wings by radio. Radio station KAYL and the junior chamber of commerce put on Operation Heart, a benefit show for the Kiernans. During the 90 minute program, \$1,000 in cash was received and \$1,238 in pledges were turned in to help the unfortunate family. The family also received offers of two houses.

GOOD HEALTH

I HAVE AMERICANS GAINED IN HEALTH?

HOW SERIOUS ARE WASP-STINGS?



Answer to Question No. 1
Yes, today we are healthier than at any other time in our history. Life expectancy in the United States is now 19 years higher than it was in 1900—a gain of 39 per cent, and our death rate has dropped 46 per cent. Infant deaths since 1900 have been reduced from 162.4 per 1000 to 91.3.

Advances in medical science, increased use of medical facilities, control of communicable diseases and improved nutrition and sanitation have been the major factors responsible for our gains in health.

Answer to Question No. 2:
Some wasp-stings may be very serious and, in rare cases, even fatal. Most bites cause severe pain and nothing more. It is best to have a doctor look at the bite since he can prevent serious complications and at the same time lessen the discomfort.

Answer to Question No. 3:
It is a pain an individual feels as coming from a limb or part of a limb which has been removed through an accident or by surgery. It can be cured by an operation, the sensory (pain-conducting) nerves involved are severed, and as no sensation can then pass to the brain, the pain disappears.

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NEW HAVEN NEWS
Rev. J. F. Sanders preached at services Sunday.

Alvie Smith of Cottondale was a guest of Mr. & Mrs. G. W. Smith Saturday.

Mr. & Mrs. E. M. Isler had as guests Sunday, Mr. & Mrs. Douglas Isler and children, Mr. & Mrs. Carnley and children, all of Samson.

Patty Sue Isler and Betty Sanders were guests of Verna MacHaleway Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Bill Moore were guests of Mr. & Mrs. A. L. Moore of Bathony Sunday.

Katie Thomas was a guest of Texas Hataway Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Isler's wife had as guests Sunday, Rev. & Mrs. John Sanders and Dub, Mr. & Mrs. Charles W. and son, Mr. & Mrs. Albert Wise and children, Joe Jacobs and children.

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Kinston News

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Mrs. Bob Donaldson and Mrs. F. H. Fair were hostesses at the regular meeting of the HD club in the club room Dec. 11.

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(1) All that portion of W 1/4 of NW 1/4, and all of the NW 1/4 of SW 1/4, lying East of the Elba-Victoria Road in Section 27, Township 6, Range 20, in Coffee County, Alabama, containing 63 acres, more or less, known as the highest and best bidder for cash in front of the courthouse door at Elba, Alabama, on Saturday, 20 December, 1952.

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This 22nd day of November, 1952.
Mrs. Nora B. Spurlin
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Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Director at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., December 19, 1952, and at that time publicly opened for consideration. Plans and specifications are on file in the office of the State Highway Department at Montgomery, Alabama.

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Plans, proposals and specifications may be obtained only upon payment of a deposit of ten dollars (\$10.00) made payable to the Alabama State Highway Department. In accordance with Section 12 of Act No. 492 of 1947 Legislature of Alabama, proposals will be issued only to qualified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A. M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.
W. G. PRUETT, Highway Director.
Dec. 4-18

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- ★ Rough Dry
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Here is dry cleaning service at its best. It is designed for folks in this community who want their clothes to look better, fit better and last longer.

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Complete Stock of shoes and boots for all age school boys and girls. Our prices are reasonable—our quality good. See us about shoes for children going back to school.

RUSHING SHOE STORE

EXPERT SHOE REPAIRS
Across from Bus Depot

Schedule of Coming Events

BASKETBALL SCHEDULES

ELBA

Dec. 12—Dorhan here
Dec. 16—Enterprise here
Dec. 19—Andalusia here
Jan. 2—Troy here
Jan. 6—Kinston here
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Jan. 13—Enterprise here
Jan. 16—Brookton here
Jan. 20—Lurven here
Jan. 23—Kinston here
Jan. 30—Lurven here
Feb. 6—Opp here
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KINSTON

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In recent years, science has discovered that by feeding pigs, chickens and cattle a balanced ration of protein minerals and vitamins, growth was better and faster. Today every farmer knows he can rely on Wayne Feeds for bigger profits.

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Starts, stops and reverses by remote control. Die-cast loco. Oval track. Easy Terms, \$22.50

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Clanging Bell Removable Ladder. \$23.95
Easy ball bearing drive. Step stop for extra rider. \$27.95

21 1/2" Long Overall
Real Electric Headlights
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Authentic Styling \$29.95
Sturdy gauge steel. 1000 lbs. lift up. Movable windshield. \$29.95

15" TEDDY BEAR
With Voice Rayon Plush \$3.98
Vinyl nose and mouth. Doors open.

KITCHEN CABINET
15 1/2" x 15 1/2" x 15 1/2" With Utensils. \$2.49

DORMEYER FOOD MIXER
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Beautifully decorated—jewels, studs. Brown with white trim. Two pistols. \$3.59

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Military Funeral

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Sgt. Farmer, 23-years-old, was born in Coffee County, Feb. 3, 1929, and had seen duty in Japan prior to being sent to Korea. At the time of his death, he was serving with the Third Army.

Officiating at the funeral was Chaplain Farmer of Camp Rucker, an Honor Guard also came from Camp Rucker.

Surviving are his father, Roy Farmer, and step-mother of Kinston, Rt. 1, brother Edward Farmer, three half brothers, Donald Ray, David and Rex Farmer; five half sisters, Helen, Jean, Mary Jane, Barbara Ann and Evelyn Marie Turner, all of whom live in Kinston, Rt. 1, in Rhodes school community.

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